GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO KARNATAKA
IQBAL AHMED SARADGI

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received a proposal from the State Government of Karnataka seeking financial assistanceof Rs. 47.4 crore for computerisation of the State treasuries;

(b) if so, whether the Union Government has approved the proposal;

(c) if not, the reasons for delay in clearing the proposal; and

(d) the time by which the Union Government are likely to provide aid for computerisation of treasuries in the State of Karnataka?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ANANT GANGARAM GEETE):

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) No, Sir. However, State Government have been provided with financial assistanceof Rs. 16 crore under the Eleventh Finance Commission Scheme for the upgradation ofinfrastructure of various departments involved in fiscal administration, and especially for computerisation of State treasuries.